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Nota Land of Promise.

Oklahoma Not Flowing With Milk and Honey.

FOOD AND WATER SCARCE.

Many of the People Leaving the Territory and Returning to Their Former Homes—Reported Murders Proved to Be False—Up to the Present There Has Been No Trouble and None Is Expected.

GUTHRIE, O. T., April 25.—Guthrie has much better material advancement since Monday. Thus far the land office is the only complete building in the town. The Commercial National bank has fifty carpenters at work putting up a light brick structure opposite the railroad depot, and the foundations for a row of houses on the west side of the railroad track have been laid. This is the full extent of one day's improvement. The population is falling off materially. Every train that leaves for the north and south is packed with men, who having grown weary of fighting for a bare existence, are headed for their homes. Nobody but a man who has plenty of money can live here. Food is scarce and water is scarce.

For a little while last night it looked as if the new city would go down as fast as it went up. Just after dark great black clouds began to drive across the sky from the south-east, and in a short time rain was pouring in torrents. Gusts of wind swept through the streets on the hills and threatened to carry them all away.

The good order that has been preserved thus far, considering that desperadoes have been constantly prowling, is singularly marvellous. Not a man has been shot, and in only two or three cases were desperadoes driven by men who intended to use them. The cause that has contributed so much to the maintenance of good order is the absence of whisky. Not a drop of it has been put on sale and so far as can be learned but little has been brought into the territory for individuals for their own use.

The marshal's forces are demoralized. Two-thirds of the deputies who were brought here to preserve order have done little besides spend on town bills, while they staked off before the crowds began to arrive Monday. Feeling runs high among the settlers on account of their behavior. Marshal Jones on Tuesday sent a force of men to investigate a rumor about two men having been shot on a claim east of the creek. Newspaper correspondents, who heard of his enterprise, concluded that this report was true, and without personal investigation sent it out as a fact. The story had its origin with a half-witted fellow who came in on a claim and reported that his two partners were missing. They had simply disappeared from a claim and he suspected that they had been killed. Capt. McArthur, who made a full investigation of the rumor, says the men are all right.

All efforts to organize a municipal government in Guthrie have failed. Five meetings were held Tuesday and as many more yesterday to form a temporary organization, but not even this much could be done. The trouble is that every candidate for mayor has a personal following that is bound by oath to support them through thick and thin.

The city of West Guthrie, which is springing up on the level plain back of the military camp, has been organized by a band of Chicago colonists, who will hold a municipal election in a few days.

Not What They Expected.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 25.—A train of fourteen coaches, crowded to platform with returning boomers, pulled into the Union station over the Santa Fe road yesterday. Over 300 boomers were in the train that left Arkansas City the night before, and nearly 200 more wanted to go, but were obliged to wait for a next train.

Edward Gilson, at the head of a thirty-five Illinois settlers, said to a reporter: "We were on the first train that arrived in Guthrie on Monday afternoon. We were not looking for town sites but farm lands. We found pretty fair lands in the river bottoms, but not near as rich as the farms we were leaving. The soil is red and loamy, like brick dust. In fact the greater part of the country looks like an immense brick kiln."

Most of the returning boomers had staked out claims, but had refused to settle on them and bring their families.

Among the passengers was Standing Buffalo, chief of the Ponies, on his way to Washington to protest against the usurpation of the Cherokee strip by the holders of boomers. He said: "What men come take land belonging to Indians, shoot two men, Indian go to great father to Washington."

Reports Telegraphed to Washington.
WASHINGTON, April 25.—The following dispatch has been received at the adjutant general's office from Maj. Gen. Crook: "The following telegram dated Oklahoma station yesterday is respectfully repeated: 'Reports from Kinsler, Guthrie and Purrell state that everything has progressed in a quiet and orderly manner as no serious friction or disturbance of any kind has occurred. The reports indicate that there are from 10,000 to 20,000 people now in the territory. Capt. McArthur at Guthrie reports about 5,000 there and Capt. Hall at Kingfisher about the same number there, and there are from 2,000 to 4,000 in this vicinity and between here and Purrell.'

"Capt. Purrell, of my staff, whom I ordered to Purrell on duty, returned last night about 9 o'clock and reported everything moving in a satisfactory manner and the incoming settlers cheerful and well disposed. This may be said to be the condition of affairs in all sections of the country. In my opinion quite a number of people have been deterred from entering the country owing to the exaggerated reports of numbers coming in and the difficulties of getting here. However, from reports from Fort Sill, Reno and elsewhere, I am satisfied the arrangements perfected will prevent serious trouble of any kind, though there may be remote sections of the country in individual cases of strife."

W. MERRITT,
"Brigadier General."

LABOR NEWS.

The Street Car Strike at Minneapolis Still Unsettled—Other Troubles.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 25.—From yesterday's developments it seems that the street car strike is not as near an end as was supposed. The twenty strikers that applied for work at the University avenue barns show up in the morning, and it is said, did not intend to work when they made their application. A few drivers on one or two other lines and two or three motor conductors have returned to work, but aside from these few exceptions the strikers are still firm. The company started two new lines yesterday. This leaves only two or three extensions to be opened up. The strikers claim that only one-third of the regular number of cars are running, while the company claim that nearly a full quota of cars are running on all the lines. No cars are run after sundown, and will not be for several days, perhaps weeks. The extra force of police is being reduced rapidly. One regular officer was dismissed yesterday for sympathizing with the mob element, and the cases of a dozen others are to be investigated after the strike is settled.

Striking Against a Cut Down.
BOSTON, April 25.—The 120 tailors of both sexes, employed by Joseph W. Parker & Company, No. 519 Washington street, struck yesterday because a petition for an increase of wages was not granted by the firm. The strikers assert that their wages have been cut three times within eighteen months, the last cut being about 20 per cent.

Objection to the Foreman.
BOSTON, April 25.—More than one hundred men, employees of the Pearson Cordage company's works in Norfolk avenue, Boston, struck yesterday for the removal of Foreman Chubb, for alleged brutality and against the discharge of James McSherry, one of their number.

Will Strike for Nine Hours.
NEWARK, N. J., April 25.—The carpenters have voted to strike on May 1 for a nine hour day.

THE SEAL FISHERIES.

This Year's Catch Said to Be the Largest Ever Recorded.

St. Johns, N. E., April 25.—More than \$1,000,000 worth of seals have been captured by the seal hunters from this port within the past six weeks. The catch has been unprecedented, and has led to the lifting out of many other vessels for that industry.

The steamer Wagon was the first to return with a full cargo. She left port on March 9, and struck the seals on the 11th, midway between Queen and Green Islands. On the 12th her crew killed 10,000 seals, and on the 13th to the 15th they took 15,000 more on board and then started for home, arriving here on the 20th. The total weight of her seals was 54 tons gross. Seals are worth \$2.50 each. The value of the Wagon's cargo is \$70,000.

Since the Wagon's arrival the Ranger has come in with the finest catch of the season. She had on board 28,000 seals, valued at over \$70,000. She was out on thirteen days. The Walrus arrived next with 15,000 seals, her full capacity. Then came the Neptune with 20,000, the Hector with 15,000, the Esquimaux with 22,000 and the Terra Nova with 31,000, the Falcon with 27,000, the Van Guard with 19,000, the Kite with 29,000 and the Panther with 16,000. The latter vessel had 6,000 from her deck in a heavy swell.

In the Gulf there are at least a dozen vessels, nearly all of which have been heard from, reporting heavy catches. It is thought that the catch this year by vessels will exceed 450,000, and to this is to be added the shore catch, which will probably amount in Newfoundland to between 50,000 and 70,000. When it is understood that this was all done inside of six weeks it is a remarkable showing.

YELLOW FEVER IN FLORIDA.

One Case in Sanford, But There Is No Fear of Its Spreading.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 25.—Dr. Daniel, president of the state board of health, states that Mrs. Demott, of Sanford, died of yellow fever. It was a sporadic case, not of a virulent or infectious type. Mrs. Demott had been in poor health for months, and had been really ill two weeks. There are no other cases in the family. The house is isolated, and all persons have been taken. Sanford has voluntarily enlarged its people from leaving town for fifteen days, and has prohibited traffic from 5 p. m. to 5 a. m.

There are no fears of an epidemic. The new state health law provides for a most effective system of reports and visitations in all parts of the state, and there are ample funds for carrying it out. All that can be done by the most efficient medical experts, to prevent the disease from spreading, will be done this season to prevent any appearance of a yellow fever epidemic.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

Three Cases Disposed of This Effect New Laws in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 25.—The supreme court has handed down three opinions, one affirming the decision of the court below, in declaring unconstitutional the board of county bill passed by the last legislature. The bill had no reference to Indianapolis and placed the various departments under one control. The principal point in the allegation that it deprived the people of local self-government. The other decisions upset the police and fire board bills of this city and Evansville for the same reason. The result was anticipated in Indianapolis, as the police authorities have refused to surrender to the new boards, but in Evansville it will restore the old condition of things. Judge Mitchell has filed a dissenting opinion.

Melatto Woman Mysteriously Murdered.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The body of a young mulatto woman was found Monday night just beyond the district line, two miles from Bonanza. The skull was crushed as though she had been struck with an ax. Detectives have taken the matter in hand. There is no clue to her identity.

Could Not Wait for Death.

BOSTON, April 25.—Frederick W. Larn, aged 57, committed suicide at his residence in Jamaica plain, this morning by shooting himself in the abdomen with a revolver. He leaves a widow and one child.

A National Holiday.

The Thirtieth of April Will Be One This Year.

BY THE PRESIDENT'S ORDER.

Government Employees Will Not Be Required to Work, but Will Receive Full Pay for the Day—Orders to Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—In the proclamation, relative to the 30th of April, the president, in pursuance of the act of congress passed on March 2 last, called on the people of the United States to assemble at their places of worship and give thanks for the blessings showered on them since Washington's inauguration. The wording of the proclamation was such as to make the day one of thanksgiving and not a National holiday, thus preventing all per diem employees of the government receiving pay for the holiday, though obliged to absent themselves from work. In order that all per diem employees of the United States may receive pay for that day, the president has issued an amendatory order, making the 30th a National holiday.

Orders to Postmasters.
Postmaster General Wainmaker has issued the following order:

"The president having recommended that, as a part of the order of observance of the centennial of inauguration of the first president, a portion of the 30th day of April, 1889, be set aside for prayer and thanksgiving. In conformity thereto it is ordered: 'First—Postmasters are authorized to observe the usual holiday hours on that day. 'Second—Where it is possible to do so without detriment to the public service, their post offices should be closed at or before 9 a. m. in order that the employees may have an opportunity to comply with the proclamation of the president, issued on the 4th inst. 'Third—Postmasters must arrange for the receipt and dispatch of mail that may arrive and depart during the time the post office is closed.'

Postoffice Appointments.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The postmaster general has appointed W. B. Cooley, of Pennsylvania, chief clerk of the postoffice department, vice Joseph Roy, resigned. Cooley was chief clerk of the money order office, postoffice department, and has been in the service for twelve years.

Edward G. Carlin, of Pennsylvania, was also appointed an assistant superintendent in the railway mail service at \$1,500.

John A. Chapman, of Illinois, was appointed chief of division inspectors, postoffice department, vice A. W. Gibson, resigned.

Executive Clemency Granted.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—In the case of Charles A. Warner, of Maryland, convicted of unlawfully carrying on business as a school teacher in violation of law, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$500, the president has granted a pardon.

In the case of Dr. Warren E. Day, of Arizona, convicted of polygamy, and sentenced Feb. 5, 1889, to two years' confinement in the penitentiary at Yuma, Ariz., the president has commuted his sentence to one year.

Victims of the Samana Disaster.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The navy department has received from Surgeon Harvey, of the Vandalia, certificates of death of Capt. Schoonmaker, Paymaster Arms, Lieut. Sutcliffe, of the marine corps, and Pay Clerk Roder, who were drowned in the Samana hurricane. Each certificate states that the officer named was "drowned in the wreck of the Vandalia." Assistant Engineer Webster, of the Vandalia, is acting paymaster in place of Paymaster Arms.

Fifteen Million Dollars a Day.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Treasury Hyatt has returned to this city from New York. He says that the counterfeits of the sub-treasury are hurrying ahead at a rapid rate, and are now handling about \$15,000,000 of gold a day. He expects that the count there will be concluded by the 4th of May, a week from Saturday.

Mail Superintendents Appointed.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The following superintendents of mails have been appointed by Postmaster General Wainmaker: L. T. Terry at Nashville, Tenn.; F. M. Smith at Baltimore; P. E. Sullivan at Cincinnati. They are all employees who had been in the service for years.

Counterfeiters Arrested at Louisville.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Capt. Bauer, of the United States secret service, has wired Chief Bell that he has arrested William Cain and Richard Levine, counterfeiters, at Louisville, Ky. Found large quantity of counterfeit dollars, plaster paris molds and counterfeiting material.

Secretary Haines Ill.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Secretary Blaine has been indisposed for several days. He caught cold on Sunday, and has not left his apartments at the Normandy since. This morning he was able to attend to his mail, and it is thought that he will be at the state department this week.

Merchandise Exports and Imports.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Merchandise exports during March past aggregated in value \$69,111,358, against \$50,749,423 during March, 1888; imports during the past month aggregated \$66,261,022, against \$53,041,340 during March, 1888.

Washington Notes.

During March past 26,505 immigrants came to the United States against 29,022 during March, 1888.

George H. Shields, of Missouri, the new assistant attorney general for the interior department, has assumed charge of the duties of his office.

James H. Wardle, of New York, a clerk at \$1,500 in the census office, has been promoted to be chief of division in the office of the secretary of the interior at \$2,000 per annum.

The United States consul at Mozambique

has written to the treasury department that the Austrian peso will hereafter be the legal tender of the province. The peso is valued at ninety-three cents.

FIRE RECORD.

Blankets and Clothing Injured at Philadelphia—Other Losses.

PHILADELPHIA, April 25.—Fire broke out yesterday evening in the blanket store of Conrad B. Day & Company, 38 North Third street. The adjoining clothing store of D. Meyers & Company, was also damaged. Total loss on stock and building, \$50,000 fully insured.

Three firemen were overcome by smoke, but afterwards recovered.

A Destructive Forest Fire.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 25.—A destructive forest fire is raging in the town of Auburn, six miles east of here. Already 450 acres of timber land belonging to Ignatius T. Webster, Luther T. Proctor, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, H. P. Watts and Charles Chase, has been burned over, and 300 cords of cut wood and much valuable standing timber have been destroyed. A large force is fighting the fire.

Quarter of a Mile of Fire.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., April 25.—The house of G. W. Whitney was burned early yesterday morning. Loss \$3,000. The fire communicated to the adjoining woodland and burned over a quarter of a mile of it.

House and Barn Burned.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., April 25.—The house and barn of George and Samuel Garter at Newton, were burned yesterday. Loss, \$5,000.

FATAL COLLISION.

Two Men Killed, One Fatally Injured and Several Badly Bruised.

SOMERSET, Ky., April 25.—A head-on collision occurred on the Cincinnati Southern, one mile south of Glen Mary, Tenn., about noon yesterday, which resulted in the death of two men, and serious and likely fatal injury to one other. The particulars, so far as is known, are as follows: No. 13, a through freight, had orders to meet No. 18 and Express No. 3 at Glen Mary, Tenn. A No. 2 was fifty minutes late and Conductor Carney forgot about No. 18, which was five minutes late, and pulled out for the next station, Sunbright, to meet No. 2 there. When about a mile south of Glen Mary, No. 18 appeared from behind a sharp curve and deep cut, and the two engines crashed together before the crews had time to jump.

Bear brakeman Taylor, Conductor Hinesline, and Engineer Rusk, of No. 18, were caught under the cars and badly crushed and injured internally. Taylor and Hinesline died a few minutes after being extricated, and Engineer Rusk can live but is suffering sustained slight injuries.

Conductor Hinesline's remains will leave here at 1 o'clock today for Fremont, O., where his parents live. Rusk and Taylor lived at this place, and were brought up on No. 2 last night. Harding and Hinesline were two of the oldest and best men on the road.

In Memory of Robert E. Lee.

NEW YORK, April 25.—A number of southern residents in Harlem met last night in the house of the Rev. Dr. W. F. Page, and organized a society under the name of "The Harlem Southern Old Lang Syne Club." A constitution and by-laws were adopted and officers elected for the year. The constitution provides among other things for the annual celebration by a banquet of the natal day of Gen. Robert E. Lee, which is January 19, and the admission of ladies to all the club banquets.

Governor's Summer Cottage.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., April 25.—Mrs. Grover Cleveland has leased the cottage of the Rev. Henry Brewer, at Marion, Mass., for the coming season. The house is a one story building of Queen Anne style of architecture, and is located on Bartlett's hill, next to the summer home of R. W. Gilder, editor of The Century magazine.

Feather-Weight Prize Fight.

HAVENHILL, Mo., April 25.—Joseph Flaherty and Billy James, feather-weights, are reported to have fought for a prize of \$500, at a point just over the New Hampshire line from Merrimack, on Tuesday evening. James had the best of the contest until the fifth round, when he was knocked out by a low blow under the chin.

A Mob Gathering at a Jail.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 25.—Twenty men have been guarding the jail here for some time, the supposed murderer of negro Bob Woods is incarcerated. Knots of negroes have been in the vicinity all night, and a messenger just from the jail says an attack and an attempt to lynch Taylor is expected.

Trial of Dick Hawes.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 25.—In the trial of Dick Hawes for the murder of his daughter, testimony was taken to the effect that the condition of the girl's lungs when the body was taken from the water showed that death was not due to drowning. The trial is still in progress.

Killed by a Kick of a Horse.

DANVERS, Mass., April 25.—Israel Fellows, of Danbury, a paper hanger, fell in a fit from his wagon at Tapleville. His horse became frightened and kicked him in the head, crushing his skull and killing him instantly.

No Use for Comstock.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 25.—An application by Attorney Comstock for membership of U. S. Grant post, A. R., was rejected last night, thirty-seven black balls being cast.

Better Demand for Rubber Shoes.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Mass., April 25.—The works of the Park Rubber Shoe company here, which have been idle for the past month, will resume operations on May 1.

Base Ball.

At Philadelphia—Athletics 7, Columbus 6. At Dayton—Dayton 5, Cincinnati 11. At Baltimore—Baltimore 11, Brooklyn 8. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 8, Chicago 5. At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 10, Cleveland 5.

A Boat Enroute Voyage.

LONDON, April 25.—The new Inman line steamer City of Paris, which arrived at

Boulanger in London.

Him and Six Others Quietly Depart from Brussels.

WAS HE COMPELLED TO GO?

A Rumor That the Belgian Government Requested Him to Leave the Country. Serious Effects of the Riots in Vienna. Other Selections from Foreign Dispatches.

LONDON, April 25.—Gen. Boulanger, Count Dillon and six other members of the Boulanger party, left Brussels for England at 7 o'clock Tuesday night. They appeared to be gloomy and dejected. No crowd witnessed their departure, nor was there any cheering or enthusiasm. The party sailed from Ostend at 9 o'clock. Two hundred persons were present on the pier, but the departure of the Boulangerists was taken as the same silence as that which prevailed at Brussels.

M. Henri Rochefort remains in Brussels although it is reported that he will shortly be expelled from the country.

The Boulanger party arrived at Dover yesterday morning. A large number of friends of the general gathered on the pier and received him with cheers. The passage from Ostend was a rough one, and the general suffered from seasickness. A police commissary from Calais watched the party on behalf of the French government. The general and his friends at once proceeded for London.

Gen. Boulanger arrived in this city at 3:30 in the afternoon, and was immediately driven to the Hotel Bristol, where he will establish his quarters for the present. A large crowd of his admirers gathered in front of the hotel and extended a cordial welcome to the general.

Last night the party dined privately in the hotel, and everything was quiet in the vicinity.

Mr. Turner, Count Dillon's private secretary, was seen by a newspaper representative last night. He declared that Boulanger's intention was to remain perfectly quiet in London and await events. This statement coming from one who certainly should know, whereof he speaks gives the lie to the announcements that Boulanger was merely making a flying trip to England, and would shortly return to Brussels, and confirms the suspicion that the general actually received information from the Belgian authorities that they would be pleased to have him withdraw from Belgium at an early day, otherwise they would be compelled to have recourse to harsher measures to rid themselves of his compromising presence.

The belief is rapidly growing that Boulanger and the Comte de Paris are conspiring together to perfect a scheme for the overthrow of the French republic, though the utmost care is taken to avoid giving outward signs of any connection between the two.

Gen. Boulanger has intimated his intention to immediately issue a manifesto explaining his policy and his aims.

Effects of the Riots in Vienna.

VIENNA, April 25.—Three Jewish synagogues were wrecked by the mob yesterday in London and awaiting events. This statement coming from one who certainly should know, whereof he speaks gives the lie to the announcements that Boulanger was merely making a flying trip to England, and would shortly return to Brussels, and confirms the suspicion that the general actually received information from the Belgian authorities that they would be pleased to have him withdraw from Belgium at an early day, otherwise they would be compelled to have recourse to harsher measures to rid themselves of his compromising presence.

The municipal council at a meeting today decided that the tramway company must forfeit \$25,000 of its security and \$5,000 penalty each day until interrupted traffic is resumed. Premier Taaffe summoned the chairman of the tramway company to him and imposed upon that functionary the necessity of resuming.

It is estimated that 200 persons were injured in yesterday's riots.

Mr. Chamberlain a Coward.

LONDON, April 25.—The Birmingham Gazette announced that Mr. Chamberlain having refused to sanction the publication of the notes of the agreement between the Tories and Liberal Unionists, prepared by Sir James Sawyer and Messrs. Howlands and Hopkins, the managers of the paper, had decided with great regret not to print the statement. The decision has caused a great deal of disappointment and raised a great public outcry against Mr. Chamberlain, who is accused of cowardice in the matter.

Annoying the Government.

MADRID, April 25.—At the Catholic congress which assembled here yesterday, there was a large and very enthusiastic gathering. Twelve bishops were present. The pope telegraphed his blessing to the congress, and the body unanimously adopted a message which was sent to the holy father, declaring that the chief purpose of the congress was to work for the restoration of the temporal power of the pope. The action of the congress has caused the government a great deal of annoyance.

An Empress in Disgrace.

LONDON, April 25.—The London correspondent of The Leeds Mercury, in a letter to his paper asserts that the empress of Austria was in England last week under the strictest incognito. According to the correspondent's information, which he says is reliable, the empress occupied a small suite of rooms in a private house at Brighton, but not finding relief from the insomnia with which she suffers, she quietly took her departure for Wiesbaden.

Go Away from Home for News.

VIENNA, April 25.—The Vienna Neue Tagblatt declares that the American government threatens upon taking advantage of the jealousy of the European powers to extend the Monroe doctrine to Samoa. This being the fact, Europe must show solidarity and meet American arrogance with a united front. America will be on trial at the forthcoming Berlin conference, and if she fails she will have conferred on her political role of the world's accomplice.

A Boat Enroute Voyage.

LONDON, April 25.—The new Inman line steamer City of Paris, which arrived at

Liverpool this morning, made the run from Sandy Hook to Queenstown in six days, five hours and fifty-five minutes. She had fine weather nearly all the way, but encountered rough seas the first three days out. Her greatest run was made on the sixth day, and was 470 miles.

Foreign Notes.

It is said that the czar is anxious to visit the Paris exhibition.

Count Plater, who became famous in the Polish uprisings, died at Kitching yesterday.

Queen Victoria has presented a cup to the Royal Cork Yacht club to be competed for at Queenstown, on June 17. A large number of entries are expected, and it is certain that the Valkyrie will be one of the competitors.

FRESH FROM THE WIRES.

News in Brief From All Parts of the Country.

A. C. Halberstadt suicided with laudanum at Cincinnati.

Natural gas trustees have been appointed for Urbana, O.

A hotel was wrecked at Pittsburg by an explosion of natural gas.

Three persons were killed at a railroad crossing near Wilmington, Del.

Michael Krautz suicided with morphine in a house of ill-repute at Chicago.

A Cleveland, O., bookkeeper named Whitaker is charged with embezzling \$11,000.

Two men escaped from the county jail at Youngstown, O., by cutting through the wall.

Ex-Superintendent of Police Elersold has been appointed inspector of police at Chicago.

Morris Wolf, of Lafayette, Ind., issues income from the excessive use of strong cigars.

The Bank of Montreal has declared a

straight dividend of 5 per cent. without any bonus.

Joseph Probusse was arrested at Granville, O., and taken to Holmston county on a charge of bigamy.

One hundred Sioux Indians are on their way to Paris, where they will be exhibited at the exposition.

An organization of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution has been perfected at Frankfort, Ky.

Dr. Stone has assumed the duties of superintendent of the Western Insane asylum, near Hopkinsville, Ky.

L. M. Martel, of Haverstock, N. Y., who has been buying cattle in Huntington, Ind., is mysteriously missing.

The New York senate refused to accord the privileges of the floor to Hon. Oliver Mowat, premier of Ontario.

The men, imprisoned at Tionesta, Pa., for selling liquor without a license, locked the sheriff in a cell and escaped.

Workmen employed in a box factory at Evansville, Ind., are on strike. They want an advance of fifty cents per day.

Paris, Ky., has offered the Kentucky Central railroad fifty acres of land if it will locate its machine shops at that place.

Two W. Scarboroughs, of Cincinnati, was married at New York yesterday to Miss Laura Hooley, daughter of ex-governor Hooley.

It has been discovered that John G. Thompson, Jr., the missing postal clerk, of Columbus, O., got away with at least fifteen registered packages.

Scott Bailey, colored, was lynched near Halifax Court House, Va., for attempting to commit an outrage on the person of a prominent young lady.

The great Rockaway hotel, erected several years ago on Rockaway Beach, at a cost of over \$1,000,000, was sold at auction in New York, on the 24th inst., for \$250,000.

H. C. McCord, who was seriously injured during a difficulty with W. R. Long on the day of an election to determine the prohibition question at Crofton, Ky., has sued Long for \$10,000 damages.

Lafayette Kimmurly, charged with abducting a young girl near Anderson, Ind., who has eluded his officers for three years, was surprised in bed at his home, but escaped arrest. Two shots were fired at him, without effect.

George Wilson was fatally stabbed in the abdomen Wednesday evening by Andrew Holzer, at Pittsburg. The men quarreled over the possession of an ax.

Onesime Taylor shot and killed Ned Thibodeaux at Picher, La., on Sunday

YOUR EXPENSES

Will be refunded in the shape of Better Goods for Less Money if you come to the North End Clothing House, where I am located for the summer only. You can purchase any goods in the establishment from 10 to 20 per cent. less than any one else will offer them.

Boys' Work ng Pants, - - - 65 Cents.
Men's " " (good ones), 90 Cents and \$1.
Men's White and Colored Shirts from 50 Cents up.
[The only place you can buy the Pearl White Shirts, the best made and best fitting shirt in the market.]
Straw Hats, - - - from 5 Cents up.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits so low that you will buy if you come up north to

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A NICE LINE OF

GILT WALL PAPER!

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WIA NT'S.

FOR RENT.—Choice office rooms in Marion block, formerly L. K. Robinson's, Inquire of J. J. Hane.

FOR RENT.—Two rooms on west Center street. Will have two to room cottages ready for rent May 15th. Inquire of J. W. Freedland.

FOR RENT.—The elegant front room of the remodeled McWilliams block, opp. Hotel Marion. Beautifully furnished, good light, bath, and the most desirable location in the city. Inquire of D. McWilliams.

FOR SALE.—Three buggies cheap. See E. B. Duffie, office with Seefeld & Seefeld.

FOR SALE.—At a bargain, one first class beer cooler, sideboard, counter, tables, chairs, etc. These fixtures are owned by parties not resident in Marion county, but have the furniture here at Marion where it can be seen. For further particulars inquire of Harry Weaver at the "Board of Trade."

STAR OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER 51.

Eggs for hatching from the ten best breeds of poultry in existence. Gospel Hill Poultry yards, Philip Bauer, Prop'r. [1360]

CHASE & HUNTER

For Sale—Cheaper than anything else, nice house and lot on east South St. central, for only \$1100; worth \$1500.

For Sale—Lot in Hane's addition for \$1000. Quick or you lose it.

For Trade—Land for Marion city property.

For Sale—Residence near "Glen Park" for \$3500 cash

—Ta Ka Ka Ka
—What is Ta Ka Ka Ka?
—Buy your hat at Rupp's

—Additional local on second page
—Fresh bread daily at N. Meager's
—J. W. Hinds & Co. for wall paper.

—Early Rose potatoes for seed, at Coffy & Stone's.
—Pussy in Corner, a new puzzle at the Marion Bazar.

—John Stoll made a flying business trip to Richmond Wednesday.

—Mrs. Thos. Butler visited her mother in Weirfield the first of the week.

—New garden seeds of all description, in bulk and cheap, at Coffy & Stone's.

—Cakes, pies, etc., will be sold at the "Feast of Days" April 25th and 26th.

—Mike Clary was at Columbus Wednesday, making purchases of stock for the summer season.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Markert Wednesday, at their home on South West street.

—The doors will be open for the "Feast of the Days" at 7 o'clock, Thursday and Friday evenings. School will begin at 8:15.

—Considerable improvement has been made by the stoning and repaving of the alley between the N. Y. P. and O. depot and Field's saloon.

—P. W. Huntington of Columbus, and Dr. A. J. Brookett, of Cleveland, are in the city to attend the important meeting of the Tubercle directors tonight.

—E. B. Duffie is industriously engaged in getting the consent of east Center street property holders for the establishment of a street railway on that thoroughfare.

—Allen Prior, formerly night operator at the N. Y. P. and O., but now of Creston was in the city a short time today, and left on a visit at his parents home in Mansfield.

—The dance of the Night Owls Wednesday was a very delightful affair in which more than an hundred young people participated. The weather was adapted to pleasant dancing, and the good music added its usual charm to the occasion.

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The Cheapest Colorings,
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D. YAKE.

—Pigs in Clover may be had at the Marion Bazar.

—Ask Coffy & Stone for "Ta Ka Ka Ka." They have it.

—Cakes smoothed away at Music Hall, April 25th and 26th.

—High school's buttons sewed on "weird and spry" at the "Feast of Days."

—Try a package of Boston Brown Bread Mixture. It is sold for over ten minutes at Coffy & Stone's.

—The Baptist social will be held at Frank Taylor's, on Jefferson street, tonight. Everybody invited.

—George Vaulter returned home Wednesday, after a short stay in Delaware on business.

—Wesley Pugh is moving from Prospect into the house formerly occupied by Geo. McCurdy, on east Center street.

—"Never to be Tired." The "Cold Dumbest Skule" will commence at Music Hall Thursday evening, April 25.

—Auditor Will Clark was at Delaware today, en route among his many friends, combining business with pleasure.

—Ice cream and home-made candies every day and every evening, at M. E. Mealey & Son's, opposite St. Vincent's.

—You can get your rug carpet washed, and your lace curtains and pillow slams done up at the Marion Bazar Laundry.

—The Misses Maie and Lizzie Hodges and Ella Maxwell, of Upper Sandusky, are the guests of Miss Lillian Peters, on South West street.

—Reports show that the general health of the state is better than for some months past. Contagious diseases have decreased to a small amount.

—George B. Christman having resigned his position as president of the Board of Directors, of district school No. 1, Dr. Drak has been elected as his successor.

—Ladies, two more gold watches on hand, and plenty of other good goods. They are for sale at bankrupt prices.

JOHN F. UHLER
—Upper Sandusky Union: Miss Eva Arthur, the pleasing and handsome cadet of the Marion Salvation Army, was on a visit to the corps in this city, and the guest of Mrs. Charles Lynn. She will remain all week and assist at the meetings.

—The coroner's verdict in the case of Ralph McNeally, who died on board C. and A. train 8 Monday night, was that he came to his death from uremia coma, caused by Bright's disease. His remains were taken to Mansfield for burial, by his friends, Tuesday night.

—The births at the "Feast of Days" are furnished as follows: Thursday's by Messrs. Sanford, Lee and Warner & Edwards, Friday's by the Marion Bazar; Saturday's by the Marion Bazar; Sunday's by the Marion Bazar.

—At the Cadet examination at Mt. Vernon last week, the honors were secured by a Hardon county boy—James D. Matthews. However, he is not sure of his case yet, as he has two more examinations to go through with—physical and classical at the Academy—and on one or the other of these, many a good young man has failed.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.
Rain, winds shifting to colder northwesterly.

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New lot of Children's Spring Heel, high and low cuts. Prices down to suit the Cash Buyers.

One lot of Ladies' Fine \$2.00 Shoes to Close Out at \$2.50

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Are now located in the newly and handsomely refitted Behner room, on Center street, opposite Court House. In addition to their immense stock of

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—A clean sweep at Music Hall, April 25th and 26th.

—Pigs in Clover and Pussy in the Corner at the Marion Bazar.

—Buy your wall paper at Hinds & Co's opposite the court house on Center street.

—There is promise of a healthy real estate boom north of the railroad and east of Patton street, etc. long.

—Geo. Smith, of Adelaide, was in the city a few hours today, and left for a short visit at Richmond, on business.

—Winifred, Land & Watson's "High Life" Mocha and Java coffee, the finest goods grown, for sale by Coffy & Stone, sole agents for Marion.

—E. E. L. wife's follows. "We were out of the city last Saturday, yet a glance at the records of Marion Lodge No. 2001, B. R. L., shows that the brotherhood held an enthusiastic meeting and initiated two most worthy candidates."

—The editor of the Posey County Weekly Talsman is in trouble. A lady gave him two young ones, and he acknowledged the favor by saying that "Mrs. Jackson Perkinson presented us with two sweetly infatigable pups."

—The printer made it at "hugs," and the lady's husband stands up the untimely editor with hoop-skirt and a cap, and still keeps it warm for him.

—F. Moore has withdrawn from the postoffice race at Prospect, not because his chances were discouraging, but his withdrawal is in the interests of harmony in the party ranks.

—Mr. Moore is one of the best and most active Republicans in the county and his action in the interest of harmony is to be much applauded.

—Look at our unlaundered shirts at 45 cents; big drive at that price. Machines, ask to see flannel and gingham shirts at 35 cents and up. Lined and lined. They colored shirts only 35 cents; some of them cost \$1. You can save lots of money by buying your collars and cuffs, socks, underwear, handkerchiefs and everything in the genre's furnishing goods from us.

JOHN F. UHLER
—Street Commissioner West requests us to remove that persons cleaning up yards may dump their rubbish in the streets and alleys for the next week and it will be taken away by the public wagon.

The general cleaning will be made the first part of May, and anyone dumping rubbish in the streets after that time will be prosecuted and the cleaning made at the expense of the offender.

—On Monday a gentleman and his wife accompanied by another lady from Chicago came to Marion to look for an erring husband who had suddenly disappeared and had not been heard from for a week or more. All parties are highly interested and there is a mystery about the affair somewhere. The trip Marion proved futile and, after using the telephone liberally, the parties returned to Chicago to search in another direction.

—Alexander Porter, employed at Norris & Christian's stone quarry, met with quite a serious accident on Tuesday of this week. While engaged in carrying ties with another man, each having hold of an end of the tie, and the walking backwards, in some manner he slipped and fell, the tie striking him upon the ankle and fracturing his limb in a very painful manner. He was removed to his home in Loveland, and is reported as doing finely.

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—A husband living in the same building occupied by this office is making a unhealthy reputation for himself by coming home drunk and abusing and beating his wife. The night was made tedious early this week by cries from the rooms occupied by this brutal being and his wife, and investigation proved that but if blows had led to the wife's screams.

—The Chicago and Atlantic will adopt regulations governing the running of trains on Sunday. Resolutions have been drawn which prohibit the moving of any "shed freight" on Sunday, and only through passenger trains and last freights will be allowed to run. This will afford many of the employees an opportunity to keep the Sabbath, who have heretofore been prevented from doing so.

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